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APPLICANT: ROBINSON SERIAL NO: 10/718259 FILED: 11/20/2003 FOR: APPARATUS FOR PROVIDING RESISTANCE TO CARGO SPILLS AND TERRORISM AT SEA	<i>\$</i> \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$	EXAMINER: AVILA, S GROUP ART UNIT: 36 DOCKET: 02008/01CI
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Dear Examiner Avila:

In response to the Final Office Action dated 25 October 2006, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks:

Claims 46-62	102(b) - Robinson (2002/0124785)